

R. J. BALFOUR, A. M. CAYFORD HEAD STUDENTS

Ottawa Calling — a CUP feature By Nell MacDonald

There is definitely a feeling of tension around the Capital, a feeling which is probably more apparent after a short absence from the city.

The date of the next election is uppermost in everyone's mind. When are we going to get it over with and get back to normal is the form the question most often takes.

Actually, the present government is nervous about calling an election while the war is on, and yet it is going to be difficult to find a good reason to postpone the election until after hostilities in Europe cease. If the war is over, the government may hope that the public feeling on the question of conscription will not run so high and that it may have a chance of re-election on the basis of developing a strong peace and post-war security.

Such thinking, however, neglects the consideration of the soldier vote, which will be a much greater factor in the immediate period after the war than it is at present. It is difficult for members of the armed forces to speak with a united voice under battle conditions, but let them be out of the battle area, perhaps in the process of being discharged, and they will begin to think more intensely of the post-war government. And if they have been exposed to some of the abuses which are apparently common in the discharge rehabilitation set-up, their vote will not go for the government.

No one can predict at the moment, on valid grounds, the results of the next election because no one knows yet when it will take place or what will be the issues. Two or three weeks before the election will be time enough to make predictions. Travelling across two-thirds of Canada, however, does give one a

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Dr. A. H. Ruggles Lectures Tonight

Mental Ills of Aged Will Be Discussed At Lectures on Living

Dr. Arthur Hiler Ruggles, past President of the American Psychiatric Association, will speak on "The Problem of Mental Disease in the Aged" in the fifth of the series of "Lectures on Living" to be delivered tonight at 8.15 p.m. in Moyses Hall. Dr. C. M. Hincks, of Toronto, director of the National Committee for Mental Hygiene, will preside.

Dr. Ruggles is a well-known figure in the psychiatric fields of preventive medicine and social relationships. He was early interested in the behavioral problems of children and was a pioneer in the establishment of child guidance clinic. In 1930 his work was given recognition when he was awarded a plaque for outstanding achievement in the field of civic improvement, human betterment and the advancement of American ideals. Born in 1881 in Hanover, New

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Arts and Science Dance On Friday in Ballroom Features Holmes' Band

Tickets for Informal Available To Both Women and Men

The Arts and Science Undergraduate Dance being held in the Union Ballroom this Friday, March 9th, features Johnny Holmes' orchestra with Oscar Peterson, at the piano. Sharing top vocal honors are Lorraine MacAlister and Walter Aspell.

Invitations have been extended to Principal Cyril F. James, Dean MacMillan, Dr. Hatcher and Dr. Roscoe.

First year Arts and Science students are sponsoring the event and in an announcement to the Daily stated that the dance was to be informal and not stag. Tickets, at \$1.25 per couple may be obtained from representatives in the Arts Faculty.

Dancing will be from 9 till 1 a.m. with time out at 11.30 for a special show by the orchestra. Oscar Peterson, "The Brown Bomber of the Keyboard" will be featured, with the orchestra, while Lorraine MacAlister will sing "Stormy Weather" and "Paganini" by special request. "One Meat Ball" and other popular numbers will be presented by Walter Aspell who recently sang from Moyses Hall stage. John Holmes' ace comic trumpeter, Hank Kelneck will be on hand to give his own rendition of many favourite pieces.

First Year Arts and Science students sponsored a dance last year also, and plan to have such an event every year if possible. Representatives stated that tickets have been selling quickly and advise that those planning to attend should buy theirs soon as very few will be on sale at the door. A further important suggestion is made that everyone plan a full evening's entertainment by first attending "The Male Animal" which is being played in Moyses Hall by the Players' Club, and after the play proceeding to the dance.

Costs of checking are included in the price of the tickets and soft drinks will be sold. Both men and women may buy tickets providing they are in the Arts-Science Faculty and they may then invite members of other faculties as their guests.

Goss and Naylor Featured At Women's Concert

The final concert of the year sponsored by the Women's Union will be held tomorrow at 5.15 p.m. in the upper gym of R.V.C. featured will be John Goss, English baritone, and Bernard Naylor, pianist.

Tickets at 25c each are available at the Arts Chemistry Physics, Biology and Medical Buildings, as well as at the Union Tuck shop. Tickets will not be sold to other than students of McGill.

Since this will be the final concert of the term, the executive of the Music Committee of the Women's Union has expressed the desire that all students lend their support and interest in making it a success.

F. Cyril James Has Arrived In Great Britain

Problems in Education To Be Discussed With U.K. Authorities

Dr. F. Cyril James, Principal and Vice-Chancellor of McGill, has arrived in the United Kingdom where he will spend a few weeks. This trip has been arranged so that Dr. James will have the opportunity to discuss some of the problems that will arise in the field of education in the post-war period with the British authorities and with the educational services of the Canadian armed forces overseas.

During his stay in England, the Principal will be the guest of Sir Harry Brittain at a luncheon to be held in London on March 13, and

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Student Chapter A.I.Ch. E. Sponsors Open Discussion

The Student Chapter of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers is sponsoring an open discussion on "Qualifications and Training of a Chemical Engineer in Industry" at 4 p.m. in the main lecture theatre of the Chemistry Building. Dr. R. F. Jane of Shawinigan Chemicals Ltd. will lead the discussion.

Discussion is open to all students in chemistry and chemical engineering, and any others interested in the field. Those wishing to attend, either to listen in or take part in the actual discussion may come at any time between 4 and 6 o'clock; the discussion will be of an informal nature.

ATTENTION ALL CLASS AND FACULTY EXECUTIVES! DINNER FOR WAR MEMORIAL CANVASSERS TODAY

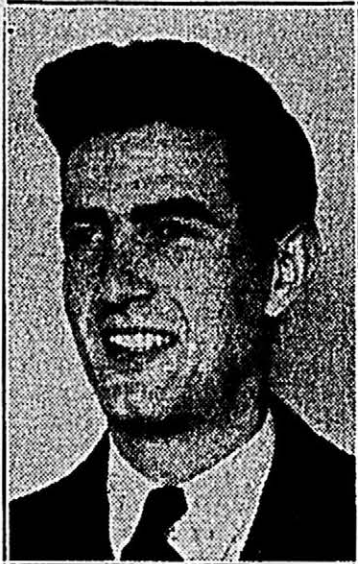
All the students named by their faculty executives to be canvassers in the McGill War Memorial Campaign beginning tomorrow morning are requested to be present at a meeting in the Ball Room of the McGill Union this evening. Supper will be served to all present at 5.15 p.m. The Campaign Committee will give full instructions to all the canvassers, and prominent speakers will address the gathering.

The distribution of canvassers is as follows:

R.V.C. Partials	4
Engineering	45
Arts and Science	43
Commerce	8
Medicine	34
R.V.C.	88
(Including Physiotherapy and School of Teachers)	
Dentistry	3
Law	1

Class executives are expected to make sure that their canvassers turn out.

President Students' Society



RICHARD J. BALFOUR, Eng. '46 (Elec), was elected to the position of president of the Students' Society in the major campus elections held yesterday. As president for the 1945-46 session, Balfour will be chairman of the Students' Council and of the War Council.

President Women's Union



A. MERELIE CAYFORD, B.Sc. IV, was elected as president of the Women's Union for the term 1945-46. She succeeds Scotty Watson to this post.

Confusion Galore Found Backstage with 'Crichton'

All Student Crews of James Barrie's Play Rehearse Lines Amidst Hammering, Sing Ballads While Painting

By R.O.L.

"Hey, careful of my thumb with that hammer!"
"Oh, look at you! You have painted all over your face."
"Can anyone help me? The sewing machine broke and I haven't the faintest idea how it works."
"Would you please prompt me on that line again. I can't hear you at all."
"Has anybody seen the sawhorse . . . It couldn't have walked somewhere, could it?"

"Oh, don't be silly! You're all wrong! That tune goes like this."
"Ouch, who put those tacks right where I was sitting?"
Such is the confusion often found backstage of Moyses Hall, as the stage crew of the English department works on the sets for the James Barrie play, "The Admirable Crichton". It is quite usual to see two or three people hammering away at a frame and going through

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S.L.C. to Hold Final Meeting

Report of Activities, Annual Elections To Take Place

The final meeting of the Student Labor Club will take place on Thursday, March 8, at 1 p.m. in the Music Room of the Union.

As in former years, a report of the year's activities will be given by the executive secretary. Following the report elections of next year's complete executive will be held. Nominations have already been received for all posts, but further

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Camp Counsellor Course Offered

School of Phys. Ed., Quebec Camping Ass'n. Sponsor Four Classes

The McGill School of Physical Education, in cooperation with The Quebec Camping Association, is offering a short course in counsellor training. There will be four classes in the series, taking place on Wednesday from 4.15-5.30 p.m. in Room 2 of R.V.C.

The first class, which will be held today, will be conducted by Mr. Hay Finlay, and the topic will be "Reasons for Camps, Types of

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Richter to Be Union President; Pratt, Ballon, Knight, Jones Elected to Other Positions

President MWSAA



PHYLLIS WOOD, newly elected President of the MWSAA for session 1945-46, who was elected by acclamation following the announcement of the nomination returns last week.

Phyllis Wood Heads MWSAA; 50 per cent Utilize Franchise

Richard J. Balfour, Eng. '46 was elected president of the McGill Students' Society, in the annual elections held yesterday. Merelie Cayford, B.Sc., '45 was returned as president of the Women's Union, and H. A. Richter, Med. '47 to the position of President of the McGill Union. Other officers elected were: R. C. Pratt, Vicepresident of the Union, Jon Ballon, Secretary of the Union, Allan Knight, Representative to the Athletics Board, Phyllis Wood, President, MWSAA, (by acclamation), and Barbara Jones, Secretary of the Women's Union.

President McGill Union



H. A. RICHTER, second-year medical student, was elected to the post of president of the McGill Union in elections held yesterday. His term of office will be from July 1-June 30.

Dress Rehearsal Confirms That Male Is Animal

Onlookers Agree After Seeing Him As a Professor

By ALAN PORTIGAL

On Monday last, an armoured car pulled up to the Arts building, bearing the many tons of ancient makeup necessary for the dress rehearsal of "The Male Animal". Shortly afterwards, a small group of loyal supporters gathered in five seats at the back of the auditorium to watch the performance. To the cry of "Places!", the curtain went up. By the time the first act was over, everybody had decided that the play was. There was a small element that insisted that it only might be, and the final outcome was that.

Passing over this divergence of opinion, it might be well to mention, for a few moments, the set, and the people who set it up. The play takes place in an interior setting. It is the house of a University professor in modest circumstances, with furniture ranging from Louis

Co-eds Meet Engineers In Campus Debate Series

Resolved, "That a woman's place is in the home" will be the topic of a debate to be held today in Room 33 of the Engineering Building at 5.15 p.m. A team representing the Women's Debating Society will uphold the negative side of the question against a team from the Engineering Society.

The debate is another in a series of Inter-Faculty debates sponsored by the debating society on the campus. Members of the executive stated that in the past these debates proved very successful and were well attended. All students are urged to attend.

NEUROLOGICAL SOCIETY

The next meeting of the Montreal Neurological Society will be held in the Lecture Amphitheatre of the Montreal Neurological Institute today, at 5 p.m.

The Program will be as follows: 1. Case of Facial Pain—for Diagnosis, by Dr. A. R. Elvidge; 2. Brain Abscess, by Dr. W. V. Cone; 3. Case of Bizarre Neuralgia of the Arm, by Dr. H. F. Steelman and Dr. W. G. Penfield.

Dr. E. Williams May Come Here

Historian-Sociologist Invited to Address West Indian Students

The British West Indian Society has invited Dr. Eric Williams, Professor of Social Sciences of Howard University to come to Montreal and address the West Indian students at McGill. Dr. Williams is Secretary of the Agriculture Committee of the Caribbean Research Council, and as such he has been in close touch with all developments in the West Indies.

Prof. Williams who is known for his book "The Negro in the Caribbean", and for his work in sociology and history, hopes to be able to address Montreal audiences during his stay here. An executive of the B.W.I. Society stated that in a recent letter, Prof. Williams intimated his desire to meet the West Indians Students and other campus groups.

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Around the Campus

Today: Political Science Club meets in Music Room at 1 p.m. . . . A.I.Ch.E. open discussions in Chemistry Bldg., led by Dr. Jane from 4-8 . . . At 4 p.m., counsellor training class in Room 2 of R.V.C. . . . Neurological Institute meeting in Lecture Amphitheatre at 5 . . . At 5.15, Debate in Engineering Bldg. . . . Hillel: Rabbi Kahn speaks on "The Synagogue and the Community" . . . Nominations for Cosmo, club executive close. . . . Electrical Club dinner at 6 p.m. in Union Ballroom. . . . Dr. A. H. Ruggles speaks in "Lecture on Living" series at 8.15 p.m. in Moyses Hall. . . . Mr. S. Wiseman speaks at Zionist Club lecture at Hillel headquarters.

Tomorrow: S.L.C. meeting at 1 p.m. in Music room of Union. . . . Women's Union Concert in R.V.C. Upper Gym at 5.15 p.m. . . . Daily Banquet.

Coming: Players' Club presents "The Male Animal" on Friday and Saturday in Moyses Hall at 8.30 p.m. . . . Arts and Science informal, Friday. . . . Veterans' Society Smoker in C.O.T.C. mess, Friday. . . . English Department presents "The Admirable Crichton," Friday and Saturday, March 15 and 16. . . . Modern Dance Recital in R.V.C. Gym on March 16.

Around the Globe

Paris: Cologne falls to the United States 1st Army troops and German garrison flees towards Bonn. The Americans covered 32 miles in two days, General Eisenhower announced. All German territory west of the Ruhr is now in Allied hands. Cologne was Germany's fourth largest city and is the greatest enemy industrial centre that has fallen to the Allies.

Vancouver: Five persons are believed killed and six missing after a series of four explosions in the 10,000-ton freighter Greenhill Park at the docks. Thousands of windows in the surrounding district were shattered and buildings a mile and a half from the waterfront were rocked. At least 18 injured men were taken to the hospital, and scores of others suffered minor injuries. The explosions are of unknown origin.

London: The 1st White Russian Army captured 500 towns in Germany yesterday and have reached the northeastern mouth of the Oder River. Cammin, Treptow, Greifenberg, Guelzow, and Plathe were among the towns taken.

Arts and Science Undergrad.	Philosophical Society
Dentistry Undergrad.	Junior Math Club
Medical Undergrad.	Pre Med Society
Classical Club	Radio Workshop
Co-operative Residence	McGill Union
International Relations	War Council
Leonard Association	Women's Med Society
Douglas Hall Executive	Scarlet Key
Mining and Metallurgy	Veterans' Society

Festival Money Donated to Equipment Pool

Recommendation Passed By Athletics Council; Sum for Faculty Use

Approval from Advisory Board Sought Before Plan in Effect

The recommendation that \$300 of the Athletics Festival profits be donated to an interfaculty equipment pool was made to the Athletics Advisory Board by the Students Athletics Council at their monthly meeting held at the Union last night.

The motion was made by George Frank, president of the Interfaculty Athletics Council, after it had been passed by the latter body at their last meeting.

The idea behind the move was to purchase sweaters for representative faculty teams. Each faculty is to have its own colors in the hope that an increase in interfaculty spirit and rivalry would result.

A breakdown in the figures of the recommendation shows that Engineering and Arts and Science are to get \$75; Medicine and Commerce, \$50; Grads, \$25; Law, \$15, and Dentistry, \$10.

These figures are not final, however, discretion being left to a committee consisting of the presidents of the S.A.C. and L.A.C. and the Secretary of the councils, Hay Finlay.

Before any sum will be given a faculty, its representatives must guarantee the sum of \$1 from that faculty for every \$2 given by the Festival Committee.

This is the first time the money from the Festivals is being used, and leaves some \$500 for their continuance.

The equipment would be in the care of a faculty sports representative who would have to account

MANAGER

The Managerial Committee of the Students' Athletics Council reports that there is a vacancy for the post of manager of the track team.

All those interested are asked to get in touch with Peter Turcotte. It might be pointed out that all managers are eligible to receive a manager's sweater at the end of their term.

for the material to the faculty and to the councils.

Other items on the agenda included reports on the proposed equipment pool at the gym sponsored jointly by the Executive Council and the Athletics Council; on the telegraphic swim meet held last week and the Athletics Festival. The total profit on the last festival was \$42.

Athletics Night To Take Place Friday in Gym

Gymnastics, Judo And Weightlifting Slated for Meet

On Friday, March 9, the Gymnasium will hum with activity when championships in a number of interfaculty athletic events will be run off. Starting at 7:30 on that evening, some six or seven sports will get under way simultaneously. In the B.B. and F. Room, champions will be picked in Wrestling, Judo, and Weightlifting. At the same time the annual Wicksteed Gymnastic Meet will be held in the east end of the gym. Winners in the various sports mentioned will receive second grade letters, while the runner-up will receive a third grade letter.

The Wicksteed Meet is the oldest annual gymnastic meet on the North American continent. This year's will be the sixty-third meet since its inception in 1883. The meet is open to McGill students only. Competitors are grouped in the following three classes: (1) Freshman (winner receives F. W. Harvey Trophy), (2) Sophomores and Juniors (winner gets Bronze Wicksteed Medal), (3) Seniors and Graduate Students (winner gets Silver Wicksteed Medal).

In order to qualify for the awards a competitor is required to perform one very simple set routine on four out of five pieces of ap-

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McGill Rugby Awards Announced by Council

The Students' Athletics Council last night announced the list of Awards granted for the 1944-45 Football Team. It has been the practice during the war to grant First Grade letters only to those in their graduating year who are of Intercollegiate calibre, so several of this year's first-string squad may be eligible for such award later. Johnny Dixon was awarded his First Grade last year. The following is the list of awards:

Halford, C. N.	Arts	'45	1st Grade
McCallum, E. A.	Med.	'46	1st Grade
Ballon, J. D.	Sc.	'47	2nd Grade
Douglas, J. H.	Eng.	'46	"
Farringer, F. A.	Med.	'47	"
Hewitt, J. L.	Sc.	'48	"
Huza, J. P.	Eng.	'48	"
Logan, D. J.	Sc.	'48	"
Pennefeather, R. F.	Sc.	'48	"
Quinn, F. D.	Eng.	'48	"
Roth, S.	Eng.	'48	"
Shacter, M.	Law.	'48	"
Townsend, D. L.	Eng.	'48	"
Abraham, F. J.	Sc.	'48	3rd Grade
Amsel, A.	Sc.	'48	"
Cave, W. S.	Arts	'48	"
Chalkin, A.	Eng.	'48	"
Corkran, W. F.	Eng.	'46	"
Cullen, V. H.	Eng.	'46	"
Cumming, R. K.	Med.	'48	"
Darragh, J. H.	Med.	'48	"
Davey, J. C.	Comm.	'46	"
Frank, G. W.	Comm.	'46	"
Grant, P. S.	Eng.	'48	"
Hamilton, H. A.	Sc.	'48	"
Ince, G. W.	Eng.	'47	"
Jackalin, E. T.	Sc.	'47	"
Kendree, J. A.	Sc.	'48	"
McCavour, J. C.	Sc.	'47	"
McCord, G. R.	Sc.	'48	"
Peers, J. R.	Sc.	'48	"
Piper, J. T.	Arts	'47	"
Roman, J. L.	Med.	'48	"
Rossy, E.	Arts	'46	"
Wall, W. C.	Comm.	'48	"
Walsh, G. F.	Eng.	'45	"
Wolfe, N.	Eng.	'48	"
Woods, J. B.	Sc.	'48	Numerals
Grant, H. E.	Sc.	'47	"
Gursky, C.	Sc.	'48	"
Johnson, B. C.	Med.	'47	"
Lawlor, F. R.	Arts	'46	"
McEachern, C. W.	Eng.	'45	"
Stevens, H. D.	Sc.	'47	"
Swaine, F. M.	Sc.	'46	"
Tessier, C. A.	Eng.	'48	"
Wright, S. C.	Arts	'47	"

Cosmopolitan Club Asks For Executive Nominations

Nominations for the executive of the Cosmopolitan Club are due today, and must be handed in to either a member of the executive or to the Union Tuck Shop before 5 p.m. this afternoon, to be valid.

All nominations must be signed by at least five members of the Club in good standing, to be valid. The nine posts open are those of President, Vice-president, Women's Vice-

president, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Publicity Manager and Assistant Publicity Manager.

Elections to all of these offices will take place at a general meeting of the Club in the Union Grill Room at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday March 14.

HOCKEY HI-LITES

The last time this column appeared we went out on a limb by predicting that McGill's hockey Redmen were at last on the road to glory, whereupon they promptly obliged by dropping an 8-5 decision to the Navy. We thought that perhaps they were getting even for some of the digs made at Ward and Co. in these pages last year, but after the show the Bellboys put up in trimming the Airmen last Monday we trust that all is forgiven. After gracing the depths of the league all season, the Redmen shocked all and sundry by vaulting into third place in the last game of the season. This was not done solely to prove that McGill could win hockey games, however, since past performances have shown that the Redmen have much less to fear from the Navy, whom they will face in the first round of the playoffs, than from the Air Force who would have been their opponents had they finished in the cellar.

The big surprise for McGill fans last Monday night was the showing of Bill Allen, who contributed four goals and three assists as the Navy walloped Army 10-4. Allan played on McGill's second line last year and was the laziest man on the team, but apparently Hugh Farquarson has brought out the potentialities in Bill's play, which Lorne White was unable to do last year, and turned him into one of the better-looking prospects among the Sailors.

The Interfaculty loop came to a happy ending on Monday as spectators enjoyed the rare privilege of watching Engineers and Commencement men committing mayhem upon each other with most satisfactory results — satisfactory to the on-lookers, that is, to whom mutual extermination of the warring parties was the desired end. It could hardly be said that the Guzzling Gorillas took their defeat in good grace, but perhaps this was by contrast to the silence of the Accountancy Apes who were apparently struck dumb by victory. We could go on for thousands of words extolling the charms and gracious ways of these two fine specimens of the beginnings of humanity, but the vocabulary of a mere Artsman is far too pure to express with accuracy all the outstanding characteristics of these two classes of pre-humanity.

The band of Interfaculty players which almost went by the name of "Intermediates" has achieved a fair

measure of success, winning two out of three with one more game scheduled for Saturday against West Hill High School. Apart from the experience and extra practice picked up during these games, the boys enjoyed travelling around the city to play against a wide variety of teams, and undoubtedly the most pleasant memory is the fine treatment received in the jaunt to the Longue Pointe Ordnance Depot. The soldiers took care of the team's transportation to and from the Depot, gave them a clean and hard-fought game, then entertained the players in the Sergeants' Mess with coffee and sandwiches in an atmosphere of warm hospitality.

The game with West Hill, to be played at Lachine Arena on Saturday from 12-1 p.m., is arousing considerable interest among west-end alumni who would like to see their old school in action against a team that could provide more opposition than any of the High School teams have been able to put up so far. The schoolboys boast a powerful lineup, especially on defence, and several of their number are stars with junior Royals, while the

Redmen's strength lies in a well-balanced set of high-scoring forwards. Altogether it should be quite a game.

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BREWERY — MONTREAL

LET'S ALL DO MORE TO WIN THE WAR D-68

Attention Sport Teams and Clubs

"Old McGill" announces that the following teams and clubs have not as yet either had their pictures taken or handed in the legend for their picture.

MEN'S

Track
Badminton
Boxing
Wrestling
Gymnastic
Harrier
Squash
Swimming
Waterpolo

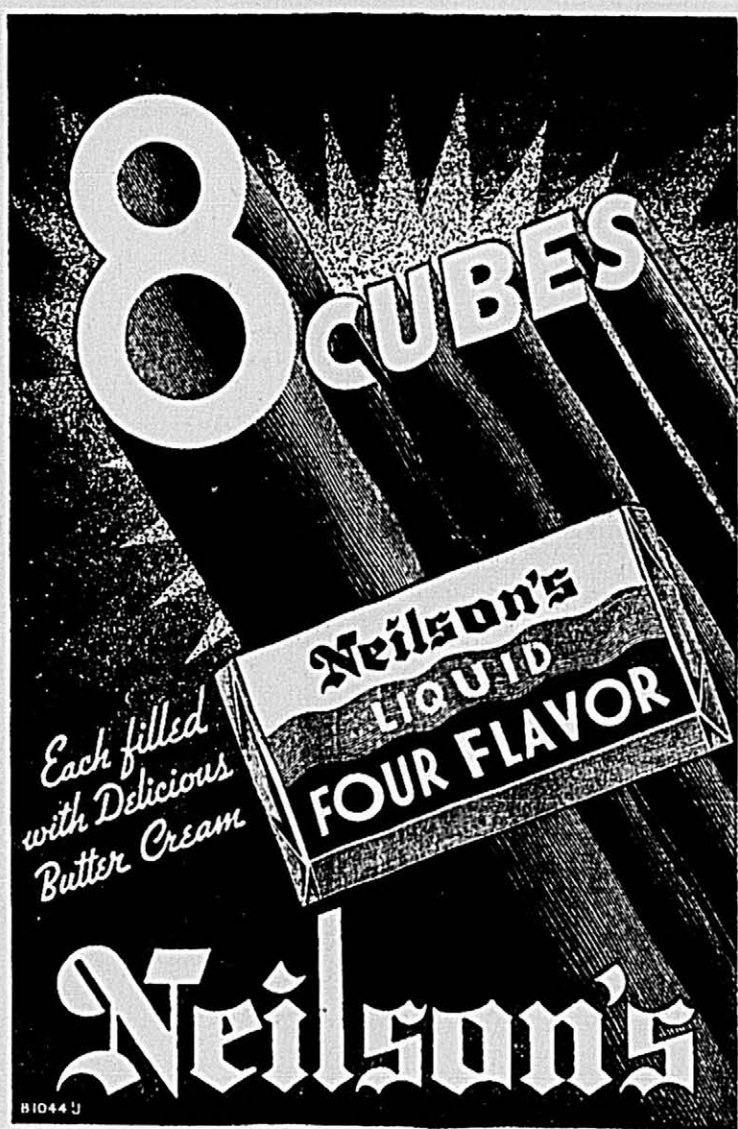
Track

Judo
Volleyball
Skiing
WOMEN'S
Badminton
Ski-House
Modern Dance
Ping Pong

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Nominations are called for the position of Pres., Vice-Pres., and Sec'y-Treasurer of the McGill Pre-Medical Society. All nominations are to be in the hands of the undersigned before 5:15 p.m. Thursday. Each nomination must be signed by at least 15 bona fide members of the Society. Elections of officers will take place Thursday, March 8, at 5:15 in the Union Ballroom.

(Signed) B. ACHESON,
Sec'y-Treasurer.



NORTHERN FLIGHTS

by Dorsey

It takes more than a Med-Plumbers ball, or a University Conference to hold back an MOC tour. Or maybe it was just that the two dozen (24) who were on the trail Sunday realized what a treat it is to make the run down the Gillespie Trail. Nevertheless, regardless of University schedule, and some of the season's worst pre-weekend weather, the gang that turned up at trail-time Sunday A.M. in Ste. Agathe were well rewarded for their faith in the regular Sunday miracle — the sun shone again!

Saturday night had seen a dozen of the faithful sit down to sizzling steaks, baked potatoes, and apple pie. Hopefully bending an ear to The Chief's experienced prognosis-tation on the next day's weather, that dripping sound outside still sounded ominous. The soft snow (okay, so it WAS slush!) seen on the late afternoon trek out to the various local lookouts froze up after sundown, and by Sunday sunrise the mercury was kissing zero (what a pastime!) That made a surface so hard that even The Snowflake falling couldn't break it (and you know what a test of tensile strength The Professor would give to any surface). By the time the OC lads and lasses shoved off from the station platform at Ste. Agathe, however, the March sun had softened the crust to make a running surface beat only by last Sunday's, where an inch of new powder atop hard crust made something you get only once or twice an entire season.

With The Chief setting a comfortable (1) pace, the tour wound up around the slopes of Mount Catherine, and thru woods where the trail was known only to the few best schooled in wood-lore. From the knoll above the Gillespie vista is something akin to being on top of a wave higher than most, so that the ever billowing Lauren-

tian crests are seen in all directions. Tremblante bulk dominated the northwest horizon and the mountains around Lac Oureau loomed in the north-east; south and west the hills dazzled in the midday sun, and only the most familiar were identifiable, like Sauvage, Fitzgerald, Loup-Garou. From this height onwards the trail covered long stretches of open slopes, broken up by shorter dips into valleys, where the going was occasionally rough, of the order of bush-whacking, since this trail hasn't been cut over for many a year.

Lunch was made after whacking down to one of the valleys. It was only then that lurking appetites sprang up, and the munching and gnashing of gums that ensued quickly revealed the inadequacy of the sandwich ration prepared beforehand. People kept turning out little packages, tho, and nearly everyone had had enough of Mrs. Cohen's "special" (which, washed down with buckets of hot tea makes you think only of a siesta fiesta) by the time "En Avant!" was cried.

Coming in towards Val Morin, lakes and summer resorts (all piled high around with drifts and looking faerie-like in sparkling desolation) were passed frequently 'til Far Hills was reached. There, one group headed in towards the station, another group took the speedway (Alpine Trail) down the river to Ste. Marguerite, and yet a third (one man) headed for Cochand's and remains the mystery of the day since he hasn't been heard from since.

The early CPR train back to Shawbridge, and there was dinner all set by the few who had stayed to laze around the shack. Truly a touring cook's dream!

Next weekend it's from Val Morin Heights. Into the sun all day, so bring those goggles, unless you insist on getting an even tan.

The Column

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My friend,
This man was so great
He could no more express his full sadness or joy
Than suppress his awakening;
And I am his voice
Long after his mind has escaped the fortress,
Still asking:
"When will this man in the frame of my thoughts
Cease to be alone with his god,
And live as a fellow with the people he loves?"

Science and Religion

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reason is, in effect, to commit intellectual suicide.

To return to the relationship of science and religion, we notice that a number of summaries appeared in primitive form, at least, at last week's meeting. One view claimed that there was a tendency either to make a science of religion or a religion of science. To make a science of religion is to study religion analytically . . . to examine the constitution of the religious person and to reduce creeds to their historical origins. As was previously shown, this may tell men a great deal about religion, but it cannot awaken religion in a religiously-dead mind. Similarly, the flaw of making a religion of science, is to put an undue amount of faith in one aspect of human knowledge. To say there is no truth but scientifically revealed truth is to speak brahminly . . . to say that science, tortoise-moving though it be, will eventually answer all things, is to speak with unfounded optimism.

Agnosticism is another prevalent view. The agnostic is the man who is always safe because he never expresses an opinion. He says neither than men can or cannot know something, but that they cannot be certain they know something. Time may prove either science or religion to be right, or both, or neither, but we will just have to wait and see. There is obviously no answer to this sort of caution. But it would seem that there is at least moral virtue in the man who admits the validity of human knowledge in so far as it goes, and tries to work some sort of totality from it, which seeks to take into account all the existing facts, and to co-relate them into an intelligible whole.

THE SWIMMING UP

The view that religion and science are two different things is not so wrong if we understand it in a certain sense. We must admit that there are different kinds of knowledge. There is scientific knowledge; there is religious knowledge; there is the knowledge which may best be described as artistic insight.

We are reminded of the legion of the three blind men who went to look at an elephant. One of them grabbed its tail and proclaimed

ed an elephant to be like a rope. The second pressed its side, and found it very like a wall; the third felt its trunk and said the other two were wrong, that an elephant was like a tree.

Each of the blind men was right and each was wrong. But the mistake made by all of them was their solipsistic belief that because they were certain they were right, it was necessary that all others be wrong. Had they taken a more liberal attitude, they might have figured out some synthetic animal which would have been far closer to an elephant than is either a rope, a wall or a tree, when each of these objects is considered alone.

There are many ways of looking at elephants. There are many ways of looking at the world. And we must suppose that in the end, the true world is the sum total of all that has been discovered by the different interpretations. The aim of education must be to expose us to as many of these interpretations as possible—that, too, should be the aim we set ourselves—and to lead us to embrace all we can into our Weltanschauung. M.H.E.

Health Column

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common cold is as follows:

Go to bed as soon as possible; this may mean only for an extra long night or for 24 hours if the cold is caught early. A warm bath before going to bed may be helpful, with no delay in getting from bath to bed. Plenty of fluids be taken, along with a light diet. One or two aspirins at bedtime are also productive of comfort. Ephedrine nose drops 1 per cent. in watery solution will help open the nose up. If the throat is sore a gargle of salt solution, 1 teaspoon to a pint of warm water, is helpful. Most important of all, however, is going to bed before the cold really gets deeply rooted.

Some day we may have a specific remedy for the common cold, but so far none is available.

Athletic Night to Take Place

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paratus, and one voluntary routine on the same four pieces of apparatus. The pieces to be used are the

BRIDGE CLUB RESULTS

February 28, 1945

NORTH-SOUTH

Position	Name	Percent
1—Pearman-Pitcher		62.5%
2—Thurber-Richardson		58.4%
3—Van Patter-Layton		52.0%
4—Brown-Finlay		43.8%
5—Oliver-Davidson		33.3%

EAST-WEST

Position	Name	Percent
1—Ross-John		70.0%
2—Winter-Winter		52.5%
3—Ault-Woolley		52.5%
4—Hayes-Hebert		50.0%
5—Doherty-Fingland		47.5%
6—Levitt-Wiel		27.5%

horizontal bar, the parallel bar, mats, the side horse, or flying rings. Any gymnast who does not feel capable of entering the four events may enter in one or more of the following events: Horizontal bar, parallel bars, mats, side horses, flying rings, and vaulting box. A first place in any of those events qualify the entrant for his third class letter, and a second place for his numeral. The inter-faculty aspect of the meet should be quite prominent this year as a number of entries from each faculty have been received. Parts of the gymnasium will be available the rest of the week for those who want last-minute workouts.

Preliminaries in Judo will be held in the B.W. & F. Room tomorrow afternoon from 5.00 to 6.00 p.m., while the finals will be staged at the gymnasium on Friday evening. All those wishing to participate are requested to give their names and weights to George Schneider either at the Engineering Bldg. or at the Tuck Shop in the Union.

In the Weightlifting competitions, McDowell, the McGill champion, will compete with Ford, a student from the U. of M., who has been invited to take part in the event. In other classes, keen competition is expected among Mortimer Oliver, Chester Burgess, Owen King and Clayton Crocote, but some surprises may be in the offing. All students are invited to attend the evening's events. More detailed information is available at the Athletics Office, or from the coaches concerned.

P. Cyril James

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it is expected that a large number of graduates of McGill University who are at present serving with the Canadian armed forces in the United Kingdom will attend the affair. Sir Harry, who is a McGill graduate, having received his LL.D. degree here in 1920, is the Honorary President of the McGill Graduates' Society in Great Britain.

The University's Board of Governors has announced the appointment of the Honourable Doctor Cyrus MacMillan, M.P., Chairman of the Department of English and Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Science, as Acting Principal during the absence of Dr. James.

Dress Rehearsal

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XIV to 1945 Grand Rapids. The panels comprising the walls and doors were put in time for the rehearsal which only started two hours late.

On the basis of this dress rehearsal, the Players' Club believe that it has a play to offer which is well worth seeing. The production has been a long time in the preparation, one more factor, which promises well for its success.

Dr. E. Williams

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The B.W.I. society has also planned a Conference on "Education in the West Indies" which will coincide with Dr. Williams' visit on the 4th April. The purpose of this conference, stated an executive, is to make a thorough survey of conditions in the West Indies, and if possible to find means of correcting any defects found. The society hopes that this conference will have far-reaching consequences, and the hope was expressed that all West Indian Students would take an active part in the discussions. Invitations have been sent to West Indian students in the Universities in Canada and the U.S.A.

The subjects to be discussed are (1) Kindergarten education, (2) Primary education (3) Secondary education, (4) Vocational training, (5) University education, (6) Adult education and (7) Teachers training.

Camp Counsellor

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Camps, General Set-Up and the Place of the Beginning Counsellor." Miss Dorothy Percival will conduct the second class, discussing "What Are the Qualifications and Responsibilities for the Camp

Counsellor?" This class will take place on March 14.

Third in the series will be "Understanding the Camper — Necessary Adjustments During First Few Days, Discovering Talents," to take place on March 21 under Miss A. Vail.

"How to Plan a Programme with Your Group, Types of Programmes for Rainy Days, Evening Recreation, etc.," conducted by Miss Ruby Smith, will be the last of the group of lectures, and will be given on March 28.

All interested are asked to register in the War Service Office at R.V.C. For further information call MA. 9176, Local 4.

Confusion Galore

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their lines at the same time, while over at the other side of the stage some one saws at a broken table or chair and right in the middle two hopefuls slap paint vigorously on a canvas flat giving their harmonious (?) rendition of an old English ballad.

All the crews are made up of students under John Cunningham, the stage manager. Assisting him is Nora Magid, who looks after personnel and rehearsal schedules. The sets have been designed by Mr. Gordon Webber of the Faculty of Architecture and Mr. Herbert Whitaker. The costumes are under the supervision of Bette Davis, Anne Lindsay and Diana Brown, and Jean Hood, assisted by Toby Palker are in charge of properties.

Avril Keiller, Margaret Krenz, Helen Leavitt and Shirley Home, are working on the set dressing, and Anne Hughes is in charge of the lighting.

In the building and painting of the sets every member of the English 13 and 22 courses has a hand.

S.L.C. to Hold Meeting

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their nominations will still be accepted at Thursday's meeting, stated a member of the Student Labor Club executive.

The following posts will be contested: President, Executive Secretary, Educational Director, membership secretary, treasurer, publicity manager, bulletin editor, and social director.

"Since examinations are only about a month away this meeting has been especially called for one o'clock. This should give every member an opportunity of attending the meeting without in any way interfering with studies," announced a member of the club executive.

Ottawa Calling

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definite impression of the temper of the people, and it would not seem that that temper is very sympathetic to the present government. For every person who appeared willing to support the government whole-heartedly at this point, ten

seemed diametrically opposed to it and twenty were inclined to give their support elsewhere, although their minds were not made up as yet.

When the campaign really starts, we may expect one of the hottest fights in the history of Canada. No party has yet revealed its secret weapons, and surprises will come from all sides.

But, in an all-out fight, the odds go to the attacker, and the government will be forced into a defensive attitude towards its war record. The advantage definitely will be against the party seeking re-election.

Dr. A. H. Ruggles

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Hampshire, Dr. Ruggles was educated at the Universities of Dartmouth and Harvard. In 1928 he was appointed Professor of Psychiatry and lecturer of Mental Hygiene at Yale University. At present the speaker is superintendent at the Butler Hospital and Emma Pendleton Bradley Home and consulting psychiatrist at the Rhode Island Hospital and Providence Lying-In Hospital.

Women's Swimming Ends With Meet on March 21

The last women's swim meet of the year is scheduled to take place on March 21, and will be an inter-section meet. It is open to all women students of the University, and the races will include the following events: 50 yard free-style, 50 yard breast stroke, 50 yard side stroke, 50 yard back stroke, 25 yard free-style (not open to members of the swim team), plunge, and in addition to these, a novelty race will be held if time permits.

There are three regular meetings of the swimming club remaining in the current session. The first of these will be held this afternoon at the Knights of Columbus pool from 4:00 to 8:30 p.m. Any girls desiring to swim after March 21 may do so on Tuesdays from 4:30 to 6:30, and on Fridays from 4:00 to 9:00 p.m., at a cost of ten cents.

Electrical Club to Hold Annual Dinner Tonight

The annual dinner of the Electrical Club is being held today at 6 p.m. in the Grill Room. Mr. R. P. Jellet, president of the Royal Trust Co., will be the after-dinner speaker.

During the course of the evening, there will be a presentation of awards to those who were judged as having given the best talks during the year. Admission to the dinner will be granted only to those who

NOTICES

Lost

A Silva Latina, somewhere around the campus. Please leave at Walter's office in the Arts Building. Owner's name is in the book.

Lost

A Waterman's fountain pen, grey-green, on the campus last week. If found please call AT. 5794.

Lost

A Whitmarsh French book. If found please call AT. 5794.

Lost

A pink net shawl, Tuesdays between 5 and 6 p.m. in the Arts Building. Finder please call CA. 3272, or leave with Walter Reed in the Arts Bldg.

Lost

A brown leather billfold in the vicinity of the Campus, containing small sum of money and valuable papers. Finder please leave with Mr. Oakley in the Chemistry Bldg., or call CR. 8525.

Lost

A brown Waterman's pen on Monday. Finder please leave at the Tuck Shop.

bought tickets prior to March 6; no tickets will be sold at the door.

FENCING

Will the members of the R.V.C. Fencing Club who ordered a copy of the club photograph please contact Averil Keiller.

THE ENGINE

By Meyer Silverman

Piston's pumping, wheels rotating, Throbbing monster, scintillating, Lurching, bending, twisting, turning.

Ever forward, onward yearning. Steam now hissing, fire burning. Ever to your home returning; Stop a moment — pause for breathing.

Oh, your very heart is seething! Faster rumbling, ever faster; Two eternal strips you master; Water, coal and sweat devour— You must be there on the hour.

Faster roaring through the shadow, Flying by the field and meadow. Observing all with eye unblinking; Cities, towns and nations linking.

—MANITOBA.

Policeman (to gentleman staggering home at 3 a.m.): "Where are you going at this time of night?" Man: "To a lecture."

—Daily Athenaeum.

FROM THE TYPE

Presence of the mind is good in

a railroad accident, but absence of the body is better.

—The Kentucky Kernel.

KD: Have you heard the one about the girl fiddler?

SAE: Yes, she kissed her violin goodnight and took her bow to bed with her.

—Plainsman

What this school needs is a more democratic electoral policy for campus political offices. The Qualifications Board should never qualify less than two persons for a job. It's unfair.

—Plainsman

Head of Hall: Why is your right shoe muddy and not your left? Alpha Gam: I changed my mind.

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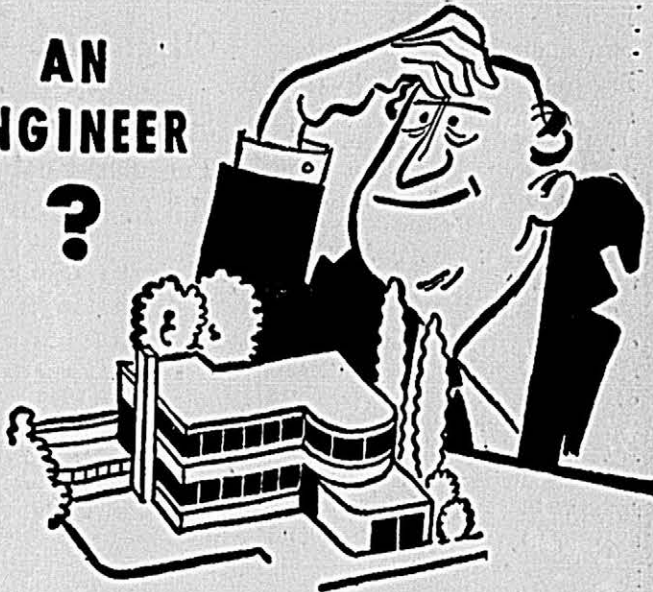
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